

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-06

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND, ETRD, JA

SUBJECT: JAPAN'S FOURTH QUARTER FERROUS SCRAP QUOTA

REF: STATE 241649

RE PARA 4 REFTEL; MITI ADVISED EMBASSY THAT EXCEPT FOR  
2,200 MT EMERGENCY RESERVE, MAINTAINED UNDER ITS OWN CONTROL,  
MITI ALREADY HAS ALLOCATED JAPAN'S ENTIRE 723,300 MT FOURTH  
QUARTER QUOTA OF U.S. FERROUS SCRAP TO END USERS. MITI  
OFFICIALS ARE WORRIED THAT SOME APPLICANTS FOR LICENSES TO  
EXPORT SCRAP TO JAPAN UNDER THE NON-HISTORICAL QUOTA MAY MISS  
NOV. 15 APPLICATION DEADLINE BUT ARE CERTAIN THAT DEMAND IS  
SUFFICIENT TO CONSUME FULL FOURTH QUARTER QUOTA--PARTICULARLY  
IN VIEW PROBABLE COKING COAL SHORTAGE SHOULD UMW STRIKE  
PROVE LENGTHY.  
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## Message Attributes

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